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General Position Information

Job Title: Executive Support Assistant

Position Number: MI918

Position Grade: GS-13

Salary Range: \$103,690 - \$134,798 (not applicable for detailees)

Vacancy Open Period: 12/08/2021 – 12/23/2021

Position Type: Cadre, Detailee

Who May Apply: Internal and External Candidates, Detailees

Division: DNI/MI

Duty Location: McLean, VA

Security Clearance: TS/SCI with CI Polygraph

Travel Required: 0-25% Travel

Relocation Expenses: For new ODNI employees, reimbursement for relocation is discretionary based on availability of funds.

Job Interview Travel: Candidates from outside the Washington, D.C., area may be selected for a telephone, teleconference, or in-person interview. If selected for an in-person interview, any travel or lodging will be at the applicant's personal expense.

Position Information

This is an opportunity for:

- An external candidate to fill a GS-13 cadre position.
- A Federal Government employee to serve on a two-year reimbursable detail assignment in the ODNI. The detail assignment may be extended an additional year if all parties agree.

Who May Apply

Former members of the Peace Corps may be considered for ODNI employment only if five full years have elapsed since separation from the Peace Corps.

- For a cadre assignment:
 - Current ODNI permanent cadre. (Current GS employees at the same grade as the advertised positions grade may apply.)



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- Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade as the advertised positions grade may apply.)
- Candidates outside the Federal Government.
- For a detailee assignment:
 - Current GS employees at the same grade as the advertised positions grade may apply.

Salary Determination

- The ODNI uses a rank-in-person system in which rank is attached to the individual. A selected ODNI candidate or other Federal Government candidate will be assigned to the position at the employee's current GS grade and salary.
- A current Federal Government employee, selected for a detail, will be assigned to the position at his or her current grade and salary.
- For a selected non-Federal Government candidate, salary will be established within the salary range listed above, based on education and experience.

Component Mission

The Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) Deputy Director of Mission Integration (MI) serves as the Director of National Intelligence's (DNI) senior leader for intelligence integration across the IC enterprise. MI is responsible for ensuring customer outcomes by leading advances in collection and analysis that ensure the quality, timeliness, and utility of insights for the nation's decision-makers. Additionally, MI is responsible for increasing expertise and improving tradecraft at all levels through specialization, integration, and collaboration. MI is responsible for the strategic vision, direction, and planning to deliver a more integrated IC reflecting the collective wisdom of our collection and analytic components to advance, in support of the National Intelligence Managers, the Unifying Intelligence Strategies (UIS).

Major Duties and Responsibilities (MDRs)

Perform a comprehensive range of support actions for the Chair by managing all administrative requirements. This includes managing all calendar appointments, evaluating email and correspondence, prioritizing action items, and coordinating responses within established deadlines.

Serve as primary liaison with, and facilitate effective communications between, the NIC Chair and other senior executives, management, and staff, both internal and external to ODNI. Assist with drafting memos and emails

Manage workflow of issues by continuously adapting schedules based on accurate assessments of criticality, sensitivity, and confidentiality.

Resolve complex administrative problems by rescheduling planned meetings, identifying appropriate contacts, administering databases and files, and finding new information sources.



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Prepare for and coordinate senior-level visits and high-level meetings and events; to include liaison engagements. Ensure arrangements for security clearances, VIP parking, and building accesses. Assist with researching and preparing background information on attendees; develop meeting agendas.

Arrange sensitive and complex domestic and foreign travel documents and prepare and coordinate schedules, itineraries, passport/visa requests, lodging, and travel accounting; plan and support the transportation of material and people.

Additional Duties and Responsibilities:

Support the Chair's travel and representational accounting.

Ensure consistency and accuracy of methods of operation and professional protocol. Propose improvements for greater efficiencies in front office management.

Mandatory and Educational Requirements

Extensive knowledge of the ODNI, IC, Congress, and the overall national security apparatus, as well as ODNI and IC standards for correspondence, administrative regulations, policies, entitlements, allowances, and unique authorities.

Extensive knowledge and demonstrated skill in the application of office support, computer applications for word processing, spreadsheets, presentations, administrative applications (travel/accounting/etc.), email, calendars, and database storage/retrieval.

Excellent oral and written communication skills.

Extensive knowledge of office management and administrative functions involving logistics, facilities, budget, finance, contracts, travel, security, and Human Resource procedures and systems.

Extensive knowledge of organizational protocol policies and procedures and of quality assurance procedures to ensure data integrity and timeliness; knowledge of filing and records management systems and practices.

Demonstrated interpersonal, organizational, and problem-solving skills, including the demonstrated ability to develop working relationships and networks with internal and external managers and staff.

Demonstrated analytical and critical-thinking skills, including the demonstrated ability to interpret complex information from multiple sources.

Demonstrated ability to manage competing priorities while maintaining a high level of attention to detail; demonstrated ability to work effectively with ODNI's leaders in a highly active, fast-paced, and demanding organization.

Desired Requirements

Demonstrated ability to apply executive support concepts, principles, and practices when dealing with a variety of time-sensitive technical and administrative procedures.

Knowledge and experience in protocol procedures for VIP visits, courtesy calls, and the ability to exercise tact and diplomacy in coordinating visits from and greeting senior executives.



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Possess current TS/SCI with CI/Polygraph

Key Requirements and How to Apply

Internal ODNI Candidates:

A complete application package must include:

- a. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.
- b. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS:** Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.
- c. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.
- d. **COVER LETTER:** Applicants must submit a cover letter as a supplement to the resume to elaborate on their qualifications and previous work performed.

WHERE TO SUBMIT: *Internal ODNI Cadre Candidates must submit an application through the classified [JobsDNI website](#).* For current employees who do not currently have access to internal systems, applications should be sent to either DNI-HR-HRM-TEAMD-Mailbox@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov (unclassified email system). Applicants experiencing technical issues may submit their application via email to either email system.

Applications submitted through the classified email system should NOT contain classified information above the TS//SI//TK//NOFORN level.

External Candidates:

Key Requirements:

- U.S. Citizenship.
- Successful completion of CI polygraph and background investigation.
- Successful completion of an ODNI medical screening.
- A two-year trial period is required for all new permanent appointments to the ODNI.

A complete application must include:

- a. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.



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- b. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS:** Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.
- c. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.
- d. **COVER LETTER:** Applicants must submit a cover letter as a supplement to the resume to elaborate on their qualifications and previous work performed.
- e. **SF-50:** Current or former Federal Government employees must provide an SF-50, "Notification of Personnel Action," to verify current federal status, position, title, grade, and organization of record.
- f. **APPLICANTS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY A COMPETITIVE SERVICE AGENCY:** Must provide a written statement that they understand that, if selected for a position with ODNI, they are leaving the competitive service voluntarily to accept an appointment in the excepted service.

WHERE TO SUBMIT: *External Candidates must submit an application through the www.intelligencecareers.gov.* All attachments should be in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format.

CURRENT FEDERAL EMPLOYEES APPLYING FOR A DETAIL ASSIGNMENT:

Applicants from federal agencies within the Intelligence Community (IC) may be considered for this position as a reimbursable detailee, if endorsed by the employing agency. Applicants must have current TS/SCI clearances with polygraph or have the ability to obtain one. The ODNI does not conduct polygraphs or provide security clearances for detailees.

Applicants from federal agencies outside the IC must provide:

- a. **WRITTEN ENDORSEMENT** from the employing agency concurring with the detail.
- b. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.
- c. **PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS:** Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.
- d. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.
- e. **CURRENT SF-50:** Federal Government employees must provide an SF-50, "Notification of Personnel Action" to verify current federal status, position, title, grade, and organization of record. Please disregard if you are not a Federal Government employee.
- f. **COVER LETTER:** Applicants must submit a cover letter as a supplement to the resume to elaborate on their qualifications and previous work performed.



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WHERE TO SUBMIT: *Applicants from within the IC must submit an application through the classified [IC Joint Duty Program website](#).* Applicants from federal agencies outside the IC should be sent to either DNI-HR-HRM-TEAMD-Mailbox@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov (unclassified email system).

All attachments should be in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format.

Applications submitted through the classified email system should NOT contain classified information above the TS//SI//TK//NOFORN level.

All Applicants:

APPLICATION PACKAGES MUST CONTAIN ALL ITEMS LISTED ABOVE. AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGE WILL BE INELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

Your application **MUST** be received by midnight on the closing date of this announcement. Applications received after the closing date will NOT be eligible for consideration.

To verify receipt of your application package **ONLY**, you may call 703-275-3663.

What to Expect Next

The most highly qualified candidates will be referred to the hiring manager for further consideration and possible interview. We expect to make a selection within 30 days of the closing date of this announcement. Due to the large number of applications received, applicants will be contacted **ONLY** if they have been selected for an interview.

Agency Contact Information

ODNI Recruitment; Phone: 703-275-3663; Email: Recruitment_TeamD@dni.gov

Other Information

The ODNI is an equal opportunity employer and abides by applicable employment laws and regulations.

The Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI) requires its employees to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 pursuant to Executive Order 14043 of the President of the United States. As required, Federal employees must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 regardless of the employee's duty location or work arrangement (e.g., telework, etc), with exceptions only as required by law. If selected, you will be required to be vaccinated against COVID-19 and submit documentation of proof of vaccination by November 22, 2021 or before appointment or onboarding with ODNI, if after November 22, 2021. ODNI will provide additional information regarding what information or documentation will be needed and how you can request a legally required exception from this requirement. All employees requesting either a medical or religious exception, must follow the Guidelines from the Office of Personnel Management and/or Safer Federal Workforce Task Force.

REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: The ODNI provides reasonable accommodations to otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities. IF YOU NEED A REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the Intelligence Community Equal Employment Opportunity and Diversity



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Office Representative by classified email at DNI_Reasonable_Accommodation_WMA@cia.ic.gov and DNI_Diversity_WMA@cia.ic.gov, by unclassified email at DNI_DRA@dni.gov, by telephone at 703-275-3900 or by FAX at 703-275-1217 . Your request for reasonable accommodation will be addressed on a case-by-case basis. **PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE EEOD EMAIL ADDRESS. THIS EMAIL IS FOR REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION REQUESTS ONLY. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION VIA THE EMAIL ADDRESS PROVIDED IN THE 'HOW TO APPLY' SECTION ABOVE.**